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Case Docket No. UOM 0217 PUS

**AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL**

In re application of: <b>Robert W. Hower, et al.</b>	Serial No.: <b>09/768,950</b>
	Filed: <b>January 24, 2001</b>
Title: <b>MICROMACHINED DEVICE FOR RECEIVING AND RETAINING AT LEAST ONE LIQUID DROPLET, METHOD OF MAKING THE DEVICE AND METHOD OF USING THE DEVICE</b>	

To: Commissioner for Patents  
United States Patent and Trademark Office  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

x Applicant has previously claimed small entity status.

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	Claims Remaining After		Highest No. Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Rate	Additional Fee	Rate	Additional Fee
Total	* 38	minus	** 38	=0	x 9 =	\$0.00	x 18 =	\$
Indep.	* 5	minus	*** 5	=0	x 40 =	\$0.00	x 80 =	\$
First Presentation Of Multiple Dependent Claim					x 135 =	\$0.00	x 270 =	\$
					Total Addit. Fee	\$0.00	Or Total	\$

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